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ORAL QUESTION (O-147/82)

with debate pursuant to Rule 42 of the Rules of Procedure  
tabled by Mr DE PASQUALE, Mr VITALE, Mr D'ANGELOSANTE,  
Mr PAPAPIETRO, Mr CARDIA, Mr CAROSSINO, Mr CERAVOLO  
and Mrs BARBARELLA

to the Commission of the European Communities

Subject: Implementation of the Mediterranean programmes

- Having regard to the formal commitment given by the Commission of the European Communities<sup>1</sup> to submit integrated development programmes for the Mediterranean regions by the end of 1982;
- Whereas the European Parliament<sup>2</sup> has emphasized the need for the Commission to proceed rapidly from the stage of making general observations to that of more specific proposals to guarantee that the Community is stabilized and given fresh impetus;
- Whereas the European Council of 26 and 27 November 1981 welcomed the principle of specific action for the development of those regions which have so far benefited only meagrely from the process of Community integration and Community policies;

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<sup>1</sup> COM (81) 637 final

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<sup>2</sup> Resolution of 17.6.1982 on the Mandate of 30 May 1980

WITHDRAWN

ASKS the Commission of the European Communities

1. Why it has not complied with its commitment to submit by the end of 1982 a proposal for the implementation of the Mediterranean programmes;
2. What stage the Commission's work has reached and when it intends actually to submit the relevant proposal?